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SECRET SERVICE IS ACTIVE AT TNA SHOW

SEVERAL COINS left the TNA Convention Bourse in the custody of Secret Service Agents Saturday, April 15. A few dealers were left with receipts for 1939-D and 1950-D nickels and \$3 dollar gold pieces. Validity of the coins will be checked by the Treasury Dept. in Washington, D.C. and the coins will be returned to the dealer owners if found to be genuine.

Speculation was that the nickels may have been made in a foreign mint and imported to this country. One of the many dealers who had examined some of the 1939-D nickels stated "If these coins are counterfeit, then we will have serious trouble unless the source of supply is stopped". Several dealers were agreed that they appeared to be genuine U.S. coins.

Secret Service Agent, Pat Steele of the Oklahoma City Office, said tests of the coins would be made and the dealers involved would be advised as to results and disposition. When contacted by "COIN REVUE" again on April 27, he said no further developments had been made to his knowledge.

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OKLAHOMA CITY COIN CLUB HOLDS AUCTION

REGULAR MEETING of the Oklahoma City Coin Club was moved to the First National Bank Building 3rd. floor auditorium, in order to accomodate the larger group attending the Seminar Benefit Auction, Tuesday night, April 25. Regular Business was quickly completed by President Ramsey and the session as turned over to the Auction Committee.

M. C. SAUER, ably assisted by Cecil Morris and Bob Thomasson, compiled the 80 lot Auction, gathered the lots from the donors, and conducted the sale. Interest in the items offered was very high and this was very evident in the well over \$400.00 total for the sale at the conclusion.

ALL PROCEEDS will be used to help defray the expense of the Oklahoma City Coin Club sponsored SEMINAR, June 11, at the Oklahoma Sheraton Hotel in downtown Oklahoma City.

THE SEMINAR IS AN ALL DAY AFFAIR and is open to any interested person, whether a club member or not. Price of admission and other details are listed on the back cover of this issue of "COIN REVUE".

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POSTAL EMPLOYEE CAUGHT WITH HAND IN SACK "COIN REVUE" was informed April 27 that an Oklahoma City Postal Employee had been arrested by U. S. Postal Inspectors. The arrest culminated an investigation that began at the request of J. H. McClung, Lawton, Okla.

McClung is a well known coin dealer and is engaged in a mail order business as well as operating the J. H. McClung Coin Shop, J. H. McClung Insurance Agency and he has a bourse table at coin shows all around the country.

Repeated losses of mail and complaints from customers prompted him to request U.S. Senator Mike Monroney to get help from Washington. Senator Monroney contacted the postal department and an investigation was started from Kansas City, Mo. Two Postal Inspectors were on the way to Lawton immediately and with the help of a very determined McClung, the investigation began at once.

The mail may sometimes be slow, but not the Postal Inspectors. Within a week the culprit had been caught in the act and arrested. He had been opening packages, removing coins and currency, resealing and sending on the shorted package to it's destination. The customer, thinking McClung had intentionally short changed him, would either file a complaint or drop McClung from his dealer list if the financial loss was a small one. This can be deadly to a mail order business and to a coin dealer.

McClung said that he hopes those customers involved in losses would file a claim with the post office and continue to send him their orders. From three to ten packages a day were involved and the loss was large. "COIN REVUE" CONGRATULATES THE POSTAL INSPECTORS FROM KANSAS CITY AND OKLA, CITY, FOR A JOB WELL AND EFFECIENTLY DONE.

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PERMANENT "TNA" HOME NOW IN SIGHT !!!

SAN ANTONIO will be the permanent home of the "TNA" in 1968, if the organization is able to take advantage of an opportunity that presently exists.

A MEMO from BOB BRIDGES, 1st. Vice-President, to the membership advised that the Association hoped to find a sponsor to build a permanent building at the HEMISFAIR WORLD'S FAIR IN S N ANTONIO IN 1968. At the end of the Fair, the sponsor would take a tax write-off from the donation of this installation to the "5NA". The Association, at that time (if financially able), would continue to operate this as part of San Antonio's permanent tourist attraction.

IN ORDER to set up a fund to promote this plan, members are asked to contribute individually, or by clubs to a benefit auction, or some similar fund raising project. Contributions should be sent to the Treasurer: Mac Kennady, 107 Dawnridge Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78213. Mark Them "PERMANENT HOME FUNDS".

"TNA" PLANS STATEWIDE SECURITY ORGANIZATION

COIN THEFTS have been taking a heavy toll throughout the entire world. Collectors and dealers alike have been victimized time after time. The risk has become so great that many have stored their coins in bank vaults and refuse to display or exhibit them in any way. They shun all publicity and deprive themselves of the pleasures they once knew.

RECOGNIZING THIS to be a detriment to the hobby, the "TNA PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION SECURITY BOARD" was authorized at a Board Meeting in Galveston, Texas, prior to the "TNA" Convention.

ALL ELECTED and appointed officers are being asked to serve on the Security Board and all club representatives are asked to be Security Agents for their club.

A MAILING list of all dealers in the state is being prepared, and when a robbery occurs, the Security Agent will send a list of the stolen coins to the Association to be distributed to all dealers, police depts., FBI, State and National Organizations.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, Dealers and Club Representatives should contact the Security Board, 4318 Ayers, Corpus Christi, Texas 78415, Attention: Bob Bridges.

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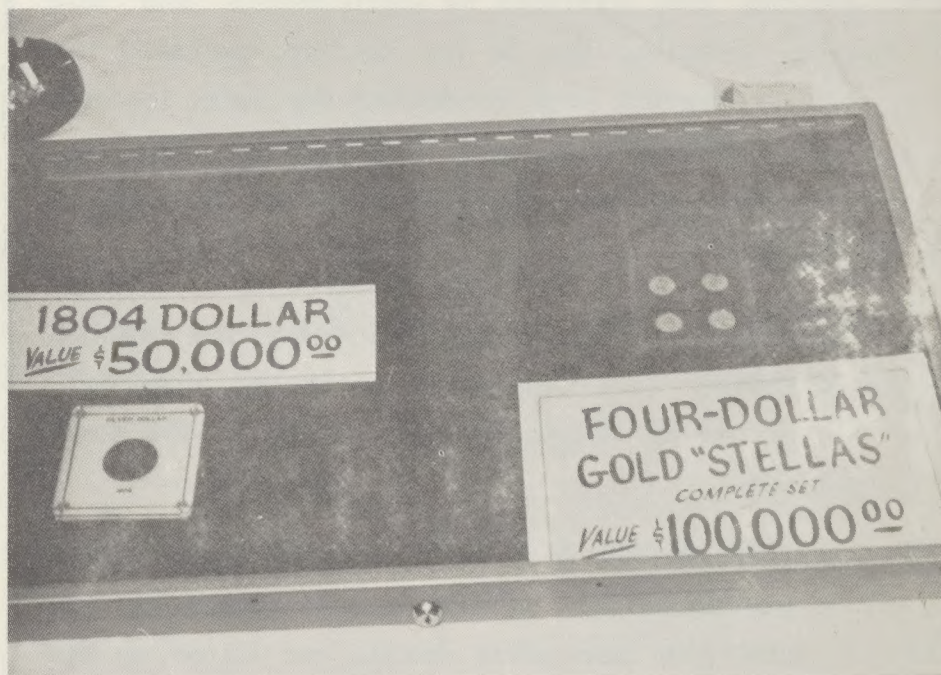
"COIN REVUE" "ON THE SCENE" AT TNA



Dean Oakes of A & A Coins, Iowa, finds warmer climate at TNA.



"BEST OF THE SHOW"

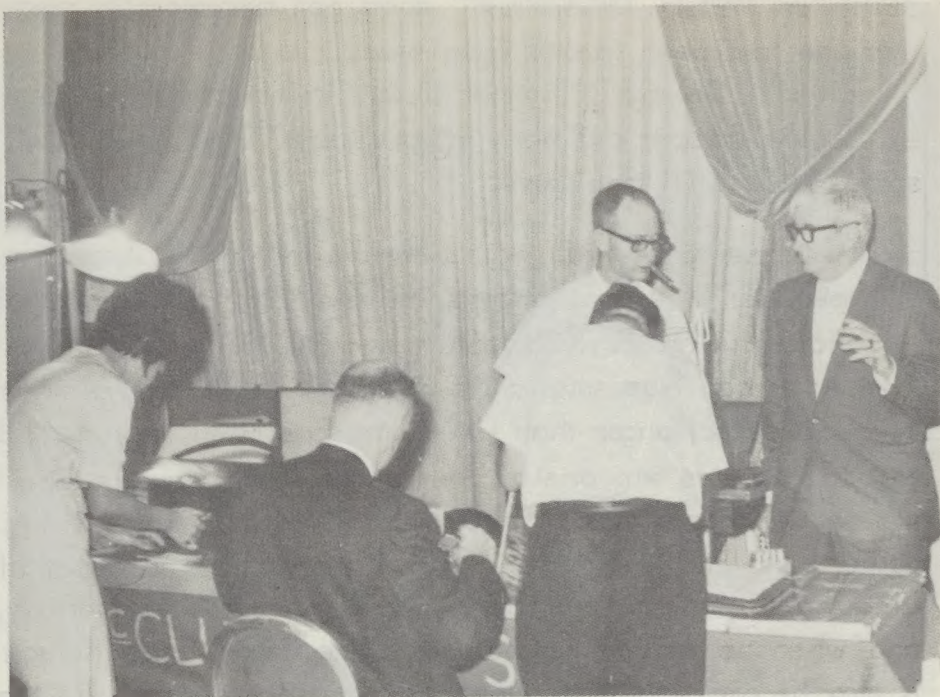


NICE ROUND FIGURES, EVEN IN TEXAS

“COIN REVUE” “ON THE SCENE” AT TNA IN
DALLAS, TEXAS, APRIL 14, 15, 16, 1967.



Clarence Scott, Lubbock, Texas Dealer, examines customer's coin.



J. H. McClung, Lawton, Okla. in serious discussion with customer.



Richard A. Long, Corpus Christi, Texas, has a short break in busy day.



Sidney W. Smith of Miami, Florida Back from hospital and looking trim.



Eldon "Call him ABE" Liesure and Son of Manhattan, Kansas, doing business with a smile.



R. L. "Coop" Cooper, Colorado Springs, Colo., discussing gold Coins.

"THE OLD TROOPER"

Being an "OLD TROOPER" does not necessarily mean that one has been around long enough to be classified as "Ancient". Donald O'Conner, Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney, Jackie Cooper and many others were "OLD TROOPER" status while still teenagers.

By the same token, you would hardly call P. K. Anderson a "teenager". A few patrons of numismatics discovered this fact during P. K.'s administration as President of The American Numismatic Association. P. K. has been a coin collector longer than Oklahoma has been a state and perhaps that is why one of the big thrills for him is finding an Oklahoma Trade Token that he did not have in his collection. He will drive many miles on the prospect of locating such a specimen. He is not interested in quantity, and when he locates a hoard of some token, even though it may be previously unknown, he is interested only in the historical aspect of the token that goes in his collection.

At a recent coin show in Woodward, Okla., someone asked P. K. to sell them a token. It happened to be one of which he had acquired in quantity when he purchased a token manufacturing machine. He promptly handed them the token and said: "I have never sold a coin".

P. K. has traveled most of the world and has collected in many strange and unusual places. He is a true collector and really searches out coins for his collection. He told of a time in Peru, waiting for a boat that was several days away, he decided to go up in the mountains and escape a long hot delay.

While walking around the town, he saw a silversmith shop and went inside. Thinking that he might pick up a coin or two, he approached the silversmith and asked if he had any silver coins. The silversmith replied that he did but that he used them in his work and could not sell them without a profit was involved. P. K. quickly agreed, thinking that it would be very little that he would find. To his surprise, the silversmith brought a bushel basket, about half filled with all kinds of silver coins, and dumped it on the floor. Siesta time found P. K. on his hands and knees, sorting reales by type. There were eight reales, four reales, two reales, one reales, half reales and quarter reales. The man said he had to close and P. K. would have to leave. They could not find a sack so P. K. put the coins in his straw hat and the silversmith weighed them, hat and all and charged P. K. sixty-seven cents per ounce, plus ten per cent for profit. That made straw hats come pretty high, but I don't think P. K. complained very much as it also made the coins pretty cheap.

When asked how long he had been collecting P. K. replied: "Sixty years, four months and nine days". He explained that his grandmother had given him a box of minor coins on his twelfth birthday and he became a collector.

"RAG PICKIN' CORNER"

Letters from our readers would normally be reproduced in the "LISTENING POST" column. However, since the one that follows is directed primarily to this column, it has been reprinted in this column.

Dear Mr. Fincher,

Thank you for your informative circular describing the launching of "The COIN REVUE".

At this time I am still in the process of building my dealers stock of worldwide paper moneys; ergo, I cannot submit a worthwhile ad yet. However, I would like to receive a complementary copy of your first issue for inspection.

I am a member of a number of PM clubs including the Paper Money Collectors of Michigan. The publication of PMCM, 'The Rag Picker', has contained comments from members which favor the term RAG PICKER. Now, I don't know whether there are any others, besides myself, who loathe the term or not; in any case, I haven't seen any comments to this effect. As yours is a BU publication, I thought that perhaps you would appreciate an honest reader opinion. Here goes: I think that the reference to rags is ugly, undignified, and perhaps oldfashioned; it might be considered quaint or cute, but that is missing the point. Furthermore, won't the true, dyed-in-the-wool, rag collectors take offense?

Very truly yours,

M. Tiitus

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

YOU MAY QUOTE ME.

GOOD LUCK

First, to Mr. Tiitus, thank you for the fine letter, it is the first that I have received regards this publication. Your copy is on the way. I hope it pleases and that you find the time to write again. A readers opinion is always welcome. I promise that I will publish as many of them as is possible. There is no way to better determine what the reader desire to see in these pages.

Paper Money Collectors do deserve a more dignified title. "Rag Picker" is generally used as an affectionate term. However, that is not always the feeling that is portrayed.

"COIN REVUE" will join with Mr. Tiitus in seeking a better and more dignified and descriptive title for this section of numismatics. Comments from readers, both pro and con will be appreciated. Any suggestions will be considered, and if the response dictates a change, it will be made. Let us hear from you. Send to "RAG PICKIN' CORNER", 211 S. Klein St., Okla. City, Okla. 73108.

Coming: Articles by Tom Bain, Dallas; Jake Sureck, Okla. City, and many others. LOOK FOR THEM.

"ON THE SCENE"—ARKANSAS NUMISMATIC SOCIETY BANQUET AND 19th ANNUAL MEETING, MAY 13-14.

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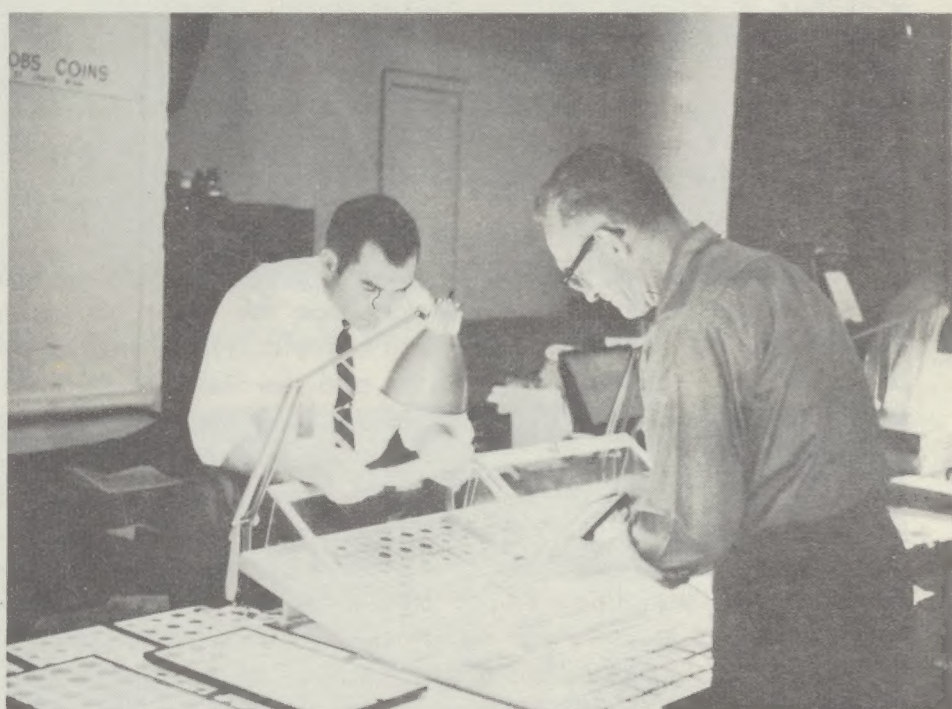
Stanley K. Rupert, San Antonio (left), and Harvey Bruns, Mission, Tex.



Mr. and Mrs. Ron Magill, Miami Coin Exchange, Miami, Oklahoma.



Hank Rogers, Shreveport (l), Roy Baker, Tulsa (r), R. P. Barnham, L. R.



Bob Mays, Bob's Coins, St. James, Minn., checks prices for customer.



Matt Rothert, Pres. ANA, and Harold Berk, candidate for Board of Governors, ANA. Looks like Harold is about to be "HAD"



Arkansas Numismatic Society Banquet, May 13, Honoring Matt Rothert, Pres. ANA. (l-r) Mrs. Rothert, Sen. McClellan, Eva Adams, M. Rothert

NUMISMATIC RESEARCH CENTER MOVES AHEAD

BETHANY NAZARENE COLLEGE at Bethany, Okla. is the home of the "OKLAHOMA NUMISMATIC RESEARCH CENTER And LIBRARY". Dr. Roy Cantrell, President of the institution, and Dr. Gerard Reed, of the History Dept., report first concrete progress in the form of a finished paper on "Roman Coinage in the Republic and Empire", with research and composition by Bob Simms, student from Pueblo, Colorado.

The idea for a Numismatic Research Center was first proposed by Ernest R. Camfield, Temple City, California, in September, 1966. The plan was accepted by Dr. Cantrell and put into immediate operation in October. Bob Simms was selected to receive the fellowship award of \$100.00 and is currently working on his second term paper.

Dr. Cantrell reports that while present work is progressing very satisfactorily, lack of guide lines in this field make the researching a little more difficult, but none the less entrancing. Shortage of the necessary books and materials to carry out the research has also hindered the progress to a certain extent. At the present time, only one student is engaged in the research project. Dr. Cantrell said others would be added when scholarship funds and equipment are made available. Simms devotes a minimum of five hours each week to research work and is required to submit the results of this work in the form of a term paper.

Dr. Gerard Reed is supervising the project and stated that a definite need exists at the College for more reference books dealing with the numismatic field. He plans to expand both the number of students and the field of research when funds and materials permit. Dr. Reed also stated that the books, papers, coins and material used by the researching students would be made available to any responsible person interested in the field of numismatics. Dr. Reed emphasized that coins and collections would be displayed at the research center when construction of the new library is completed. At least one major collection is available as soon as adequate housing and protection is ready. Individual coins, already donated, are being kept under security and donors should not hesitate to make any gifts to the research center. In fact, prompt action would insure that sufficient space for display could be included during construction.

An advisory committee of several of the prominent names in numismatics have made themselves available for consultation and advice. The committee includes Mr. Ernest R. Camfield, founder and chairman of the Advisory committee, Dr. V. Clain-Stefanelli, Curator, Smithsonian Institute, Mrs. Elvira Stefanelli, Assistant Curator, Smithsonian Institute, and first donor to the center. P. K. Anderson, Past President A. N. A., Dr. John Dunn, Author and Director of the Oklahoma Educational Television Authority, Mrs. Virginia Culver, A. N. A. Board Member, Mrs. Buford Ingram, Bethany, Okla., Mr. Royce Brown, P. N. G. and Builder, Bethany, Okla., Miss Elizabeth Smith, Librarian, Bethany Nazarene College, Dr. Fred Floyd and Dr. Gerard Reed, Bethany Nazarene College, Mr. Frank Ruder, Pasadena, California, Mr. Joel Malte of Venice, California.

Coin Clubs, Collectors and Dealers that wish to support in the research center should forward all coins, books or contributions in care of: Dr. Roy Cantrell, President.

OKLA. CITY COIN CLUB 'SEMINAR BENEFIT AUCTION' DURING NATIONAL COIN WEEK IS SUCCESSFUL.



Auction Committee at work: Bob Thomasson, M. C. Sauer, Cecil Morris.



"Crying the auction". Cecil Morris takes bids in the second session.



"Settle up time". Bob Thomasson takes the money

WORTH REPEATING

CHANGE OF MIND—In 1940, The Federal Reserve Board was of the opinion the the over 18 billion dollars worth of gold being hoarded underground at Fort Knox, Kentucky, "Constitutes a problem and it is probably an asset of little value now, and whose value in the future is unpredictable".

Senator Vandenberg had suggested previously, that the price of gold be reduced to prevent "an ultimate influx of all the remaining gold in the world". Estimates were made that the gold held by the United States was equal to two thirds of the monetary supply of the world.

No doubt the Federal Reserve Board would like to see that "problem" compounded at the present time and would waste little effort worrying about the "unpredictable future".

The problem, in 1940, was just the reverse of the problem today. Gold had been pouring into the United States from all over the world, and there seemed to be no end, Gold is now flowing out of the United States to all parts of the free world, and to those Iron Curtain countries that can get our dollars to exchange. Once again, there seems to be no end.

A few short years ago, we had 26.4 billion dollars in gold. A composite total of the credits held by foreign nations amounted to 13.2 billion dollars. This was the amount of gold that they could withdraw upon demand. This did not create any particular problem, as our assets were double that figure. We were the richest nation on earth. Our economy was expanding by leaps and bounds. The gross national product was above all expectations. There were no limits to what we could do, either as individuals or as a nation.

We started the "Marshall Plan", the "Spend Yourself Rich Plan", the "Don't Grow It Plan", the "Plow It Up Plan", the "Support England Plan", the "Carry France Plan", the "Feed Europe Plan", the Low Interest Plan", the "No Interest Plan", the "Buy Now, Pay Later Plan", the "Socialistic Plan", and the Gran'daddy of 'em all, the "GIVE AWAY PLAN".

We supported the United Nations, NATO, SEATO and the rest of the alphabet. We pumped up the economy of big countries, little countries and in between size countries. We go half way around the world to fight other countries battles. We send men, machines and money, We get back contempt, threats, ridicule and are accused of being everything except gentlemen. They want, need and like our dollars, because we will exchange them for gold if they only ask us to do so. They also despise us for being able to help.

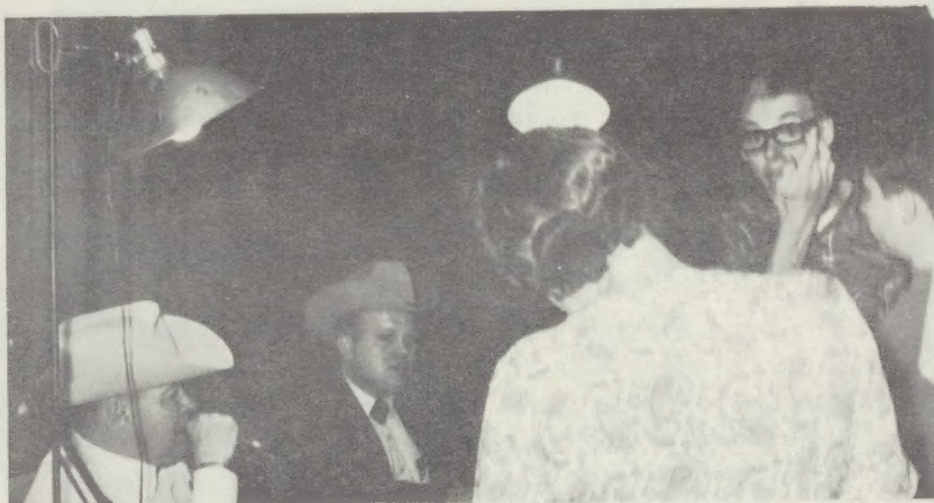
These dollar changing, gold hungry countries are in for a surprise. The GOOSE that lays these golden eggs may not be dead, but it is certainly moulting. We can no longer be banker of the world. Some of the benevolent fathers in the congress (and in the White House) will have to accept this fact before much longer.

Our present gold situation is 13.2 billion dollars on hand and obligations of 26.4 billion dollars outstanding. This is the official release, but actual obligations will probably be closer to 34 BILLION DOLLARS. You don't have to be a financial genius to see that this can not go on forever. There are several possible solutions, but raising the price of gold is NOT THE ANSWER. "WORTH REPEATING".

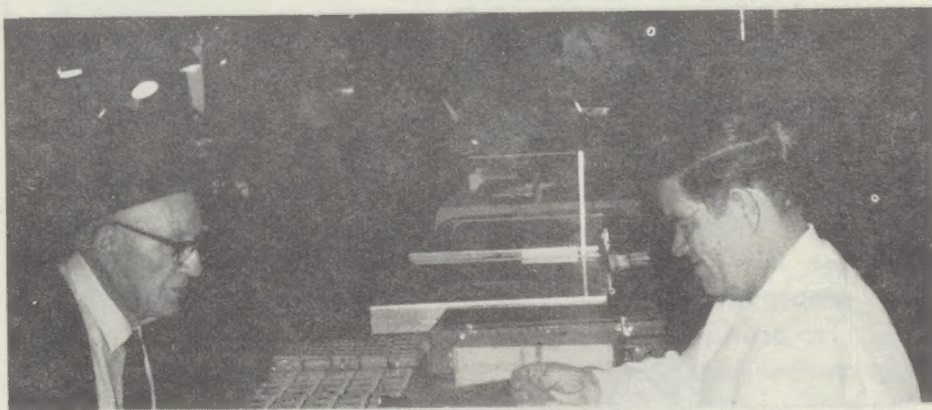
"ON THE SCENE" AT OXFORD COIN CLUB SHOW IN WELLINGTON, KANSAS, APRIL 1-2, 1967.



George Adams, Sharon, Okla. and "friend" from Woodward, Okla.



Stone and Willis, Marlow, Okla., have "camera shy" customer.



Ralph Overby, Almagordo, N. M. (right) has "real good show".



Mrs. Ashenfelter and daughter, Salina, visit and Russ works.

"MAJOR AND MINOR"

Mint errors have been a fascinating subject to me for many years. Doubtless, there are many coin collectors that are not the least bit interested in this phase of collecting. To these, I hope this column will at least provide a break in the monotony of doing and reading the same thing day in and day out. To those bitten by "fido", I hope to bring a few moments reading pleasure and knowledge each month.

On page 18 of my book "UNITED STATES MAJOR and MINOR MINT ERROR TYPES", there are pictures of five "DOUBLE DENOMINATION COINS". These coins are seldom seen and much sought after by mint error collectors. Double denomination coins, (U.S./U.S.), occur when a struck coin accidentally enters the dies intended for another denomination. The once struck coin must, of course, be no larger than the dies involved, thus limiting the possibilities to the same denominations shown under "Off Metal" and "Wrong Planchet". All such coins are scarce and some may be classified as rare. United States Coins on rare occasion, are struck over already struck foreign coins and foreign coinage may be conceivably be struck over already struck U.S. Coins. The preceding statement will seem preposterous to many readers at first glance. However, when it is remembered that the U.S. Mint has manufactured coins for many foreign countries for years, it will become apparent how such errors may occur. Recalling also, that any blank planchet or struck coin may enter the dies designed to strike coins of the same size or larger, and considering the possibility that a coin or coins may be accidentally left in a container when such container is "emptied", it may readily be seen that any struck coin could find its way to a coin press set up for striking coins of another denomination or coins for a different country. The outline above is intended to account for known specimens, such as cents struck with two different dates; 1909 Lincoln cent struck over 1909 Indian; 1960 cent struck over a Cuban centavo, (or vice versa); 25¢ struck over a struck dime; 1903 Indian Head struck over a struck 1903 dime; and many other well authenticated pieces of a similar nature. There are people who maintain that coin of this nature must be the result of unscrupulous conniving by mint employees. I cannot subscribe to this theory to any degree. To produce even a small quantity of such pieces would require conspiracy between several Mint employees, a completely impractical happening. And yet it has happened only recently in the fiasco at the San Francisco Mint when five employees tried a little hanky panky and were caught. One of the five, was indeed, deliberately making "MINT ERRORS" and selling them.

It seems highly improbable that any mint employee in his right mind would enter into a conspiracy to manufacture any coin, error or otherwise, which was not set up on a properly authorized work sheet. The financial gain, after such illegally struck coins were completed and smuggled out of the Mint, would be negligible and certainly not worth the risk of losing his job and perhaps breaking a few rocks at Leavenworth, Kansas. Certainly I cannot classify such an error as a "piece de caprice" but rather as a "pedazo por contingencia".

Until next month, when I hope you will be looking for me and my little words of wisdom (maybe I should say words of little wisdom), remember: "All the errors are not made at the Mint, some are made at the Ballot Box".

Delmas Ford.

COVER REVERSE



"FRONT ROW-CENTER"

GUSTAVUS III
SWEDEN 30 DUCATS
29 MAY
1772

"FRONT ROW-CENTER" is the caption that has been selected for the Cover Display each month.

THE CHOICE of a cover pictorial for the FIRST ISSUE of "COIN REVUE" required consideration of many coins, medals, and numismatic events....the decision to use a television set may seem incongruous, combining 1967 furniture with Gustavus III, 30 Ducat piece of 1772. However, it was decided that this combination depicted four main themes that best symbolized the type of a magazine publication that was to be presented in "COIN REVUE" each month.

THE FOUR MAIN THEMES will be described in the JUNE issue of "COIN REVUE". In the meantime, for the BEST LETTER from our readers, that most nearly describes the symbolism, "COIN REVUE" will award a FREE ONE YEAR SUBSCRIPTION in both ADULT and JUNIOR class. Junior class will be age 16 and under. Letters without age listed will be considered Adult class. If winner is a member of a coin club, a FREE SUBSCRIPTION will be awarded to the Coin Club ALSO, if designated.

Letters must be postmarked BEFORE JUNE 1, 1967.

HELPING HINT....M. A. U. V...You will need to do some research on the 30 Ducat to get the third letter.

"ON THE SCENE" AT "OCDA" SPRING SHOW IN OKLAHOMA CITY, APRIL 29-30, 1967



Mr. and Mrs. Claude Farwell, Okla. City, examine a Del Ford Specialty.



Doris Perry, Yukon, Okla., newest member in OCDA, and the prettiest.



When "Mack" is away, Mrs. McHorse, Mill Valley, Calif., takes over.



Carlo Cassano, San Antonio, Texas, pondering deal with J. Kirby.



20th Century Coins, new Okla. City shop, giving away wooden nickels.



L. E. Shanks, left, and Ray Lenk, center, check their want lists with Bob Wilson, Enid, Okla.

"HEAR AND TELL"

WILLIAM PHILPOTT, JR., Dallas, Texas currency collector, a la king, was visiting with some friends in the hallway, while waiting for the TNA bourse room to open. Conversation got around to Mexican Gold and he told about a few transient peddlers that had knocked on his door in years gone by. Seems that they brought the yellow stuff in by carload. Quite often, it would be offered in BU condition, wrapped in tissue, at exactly the same price that the Bank of Mexico had to pay for it. Wonder what ever happened to those days?

DAN RUNNER, Dallas, Texas, telling about how good the plastics business is and that he was thinking about getting out of coins completely. Said he made only three sales to collectors in three days at 'TNA', but said he did a 'land office Biz' with dealers. Guess someone is still selling to collectors.

"EVERYTHING" is bigger in Texas. Have heard that for years from my Texas cousins, and was almost convinced. That is, until the other day. Heard about a coin show, down Texas way, a couple weeks ago, that drew ELEVEN, count 'em (11), registered visitors. That was the first day of a two day affair. Don't know how it came out the second day, as the fella, that was telling about it didn't stay around that long.. oh well.. all is not lost.. you could say "They stayed away in BIGGER-BUNCHES.....".

HEARD ABOUT ANOTHER COIN SHOW?? Up north a little way. Wasn't much better than the one down south, and this was somewhere near to where the "ANA BUILDING COMMITTEE" picked to locate the new headquarters. Guess we better be glad it was moved to Colorado, but we still have the feeling that it was supposed to be in the bag for our fair city, at least that was what we understood at the time. Guess the bag had a hole in it, or maybe they meant we were gonna get the bag.

COLORADO SPRINGS should be buzzin next month when they dedicate the new ANA BUILDING. Dignitaries from all over will be there and announcements should be pouring out all over the place. Guess we will have to miss it though. Have a little shindig foing on down here at the same time and it should be a dandy also. Hear they have chartered buses coming from Tulsa, and maybe one or two more towns. So if you can't make it up to Colorado Springs, come on over to Oklahoma City for the FOURTH ANNUAL NUMISMATIC SEMINAR, at the Oklahoma Sheraton Hotel. If you fly in (no broomsticks) you will get to use one of the newest and most modern airports in the country.

JAKE SURECK, Oklahoma City, was so plumb carried away with them currency exhibits at the TNA, that he durn near pulled my arm out of socket. Think he was trying to show me that those Texas people had folding money that never had been folded. He showed me a big plastic display full of one dollar bills. Have to admit, they shore was purty. But that just showed how little a real sharp guy like Jake knowed about Texicans. Heck, those big shots in "Big D" use those things for cigar bands, money wrappers and things like that. You just go into a department store, one like that big one down there, Neiman-Marcus, I think is what they call it, and try to buy something with one of those dollar bills. Why, you would be lucky if the clerk handed it back to you, instead of throwing it on the floor. Even the bell boys give you a dirty look if you hand them one after they carry out five or six little boxes of coins and a couple of display cases with your luggage. Was standing in the lobby of the Baker, waiting for the lemonzine to take me out to the north forty so I could catch my tree hopper home and I heard two Texicans cussin and discussin. I knew they was Texicans right off, one had on a big white hat and the other had a stogie in his mouth. Big Hat said: "Padnah, I gotta get thet youngin of mine sumthing mitey nice for her graduation. You all got any ideas"? Stogie said: "Well now, I don't know. Oughta get real nice present for her, have you tried Downtown Dallas"? Big Hat "No good". Stogie: "Why not"? Big Hat: "Gave her that last year". They think BIG in Texas, Jake.

"ON THE SCENE" AT O. C. D. A., APRIL 29-30, 1967

M. R. Brown, Okla. City, (Brown and Dunn) Has busy day at OCDA



Herb Boyd, left, Sandy Sandgarten, center, and B. W. Fellers.



Bid Board closes at O. C. D. A. Tues. Night Show (2nd Tues).

"ON THE SCENE" AT MIDWEST COIN CLUB'S "CENTENNIAL COIN SHOW" IN OMAHA, NEBRASKA APRIL 21-23, 1967

Photos on this page by: WALLY AKERS, RALSTON, OKLAHOMA



Looks more like a "crap table" as Bill Bernett buys coins before Jack Hopfer (Western Coins), North Platte, Nebr., can set up his table.



Albert Stone and Don Willis, Marlow, Okla., "Have Coins, do travel".



Lucille Key and William Poe (Coin City Coins), Denver, Colo., visit with security guard, Sgt. C. R. Gruber, Douglas County Deputy Sheriff.



Bill Johnson, Glenwood, Iowa, makes purchase from Smitty's Plastics, Oakley, Kansas.

"COIN REVUE" wishes to thank Wally for taking time out from the bourse table to take pictures for this issue. He will be back in later issues with more of the same.

A few years ago, Wally applied for teletype service on the NU-TEL-EX System. Western Union said "you cant get a line to Ralston from Okla. City". So we routed it through Wichita, Kansas.

Moral: Don't look for Ralston on the map as it most likely is missing, unless you have a very LARGE map. But DO LOOK FOR WALLY at COIN SHOWS IN THE SOUTHWEST and MIDDLEWEST part of the country.

The
COIN REVUE

"THE NUMISMATIC SHOWCASE"



Bill Bernett (Frontier Coins) Claycomo, Miss., and customer, Raymond Howard, Omaha, Nebraska.

"CURTAIN TIME"

COLLINSVILLE, VA.----May 26/27, Martinsville Coin Club, 5th Annual Coin Show. C. R. Hill, 115 E. Church St., Martinsville, Virginia 24112.

LINCOLN, NEB.----May 27/28, Nebraska Numismatic Assoc. 12th Annual Convention, Hotel Cornhusker. J. J. Gabarron, Box 3011, Lincoln, Nebraska 68510.

HERSHEY, PA.----May 27/28, Hershey Coin Club Show. Mrs. R.K. Bowman, Rt. 2, Box 149, Palmyra, Pa. 17078.

GREEN BAY, WISC.----May 27/28, Nicolet Coin Club Convention, Hotel Northland. T.W. Fruit, Rt. 4, Green Bay, Wisconsin.

ROANOKE, VA.----June 2/4, Roanoke Valley Coin Club Show, Hotel Roanoke. O. B. Ware, Box 1888, Roanoke, Va. 24008.

OAKLAND, CALIF.----June 2/4, Oakland Hobby Council Show, Exhibit Hall, Oakland - Alameda County Coliseum. Milo Durfee, 1520 Lakeside Drive, Oakland, California.

SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.----June 3/4, Santa Barbara Coin Club 9th Annual Convention, MarMonte Hotel. Gwen Sentis, Box 3231, Santa Barbara, California.

ORANGE, TEXAS----June 3/4, Greater Orange Coin Club Show. Jack Tar Hotel. D. H. Breazeale, Box 1193, Orange, Tex. 77630.

LANCASTER, OHIO----June 3/4, Sherman Coin Club Show, Fairfield county Fairgrounds. Mrs Clara Migley, 210 S. Maple St., Lancaster, Ohio 43130.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.----June 9/11, Southern Colorado Numismatic Assn. 9th Annual Convention, Antlers Hotel. Geo. Middle, 1009 N. Wahsatch, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80903.

GALVESTON, TEXAS----June 9/11, Treasure Island Coin Fiesta, Flag Ship Hotel. E. E. White, 1109 Estates Dr., La Marque, Texas 77568.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D.----June 9/11, South Dakota Coin and Stamp Assn. 16th Annual Convention. Coliseum Annex. Richard Stammer, Box 717, Sioux Falls, S. D. 57101.

MILWAUKEE, WISC.----June 10/11, Numismatists of Wisconsin Convention, War Memorial Center. A. P. Bertschy, 714 E. Glendale Ave., Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211.

ABILENE, TEXAS----June 10/11, Key City Coin Club 7th Annual Coin Show, Westgate Shopping Center Mall. K. D. Brucklacher, 1142 Burger, Abilene, Texas 79603.

SHIPPENSBURG, PA.----June 10/11, Shippensburg Coin Club 4th Annual Show, Community Fairgrounds. Dale W. Starry, 115 N. Washington St., Shippensburg, Pa. 17257.

SAN JOSE, CALIF.----June 9/11, West Coast Numismatic Assn. 8th Annual Exhibition, Jay McCabe Hall. Marcus Reaves, 54½ N. Santa Cruz Ave., Los Gatos, California.

LONG BEACH, CALIF.----June 15/18, Coin and Stamp Exposition Municipal Auditorium. Don Townsend Jr., 119 W. 4th, Los Angeles, California 90013.

SAINT LOUIS, MO.----June 17/18, World Coin Club 3rd Annual Foreign Coin Show, Gateway Hotel. O.E. Royer, Jr., 5514 Winchelsea, Saint Louis, Missouri 63121.

CASTLEWOOD, VA.----June 17/18, Clinch Vallry Coin Club 3rd show, Castlewood High School Cafeteria. Louis Verno, Box 605, Saint Paul, Virginia 24283.

GREENSBORO, N. C.----June 17/18, Greensboro Coin Club 1st Annual Coin Show, Lewis Recreation Center. J. W. Bason, Box 21066, Greensboro, N. C. 27420.

BATON ROUGE, LA.----June 18, Baton Rouge Coin Club 6th Annual Festival, Jack Tar Capital House Hotel. Donald Chiquet, Box 111C, Welcome, Louisiana 70093.

BUNKER HILL AFB, IND.----June 18, Bunker Hill AFB Stamp and Coin Club 2nd Show, Airman's Service Club. George F. Bullard, 527 Plothow Road, Peru, Indiana 46970.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.----June 23/25, International Numismatics Convention, International Hotel. Pauline D. Ney, Box 1355, Santa Monica, California 90406.

CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS----June 24/25, World Coin Club 3rd Annual Show, Incarnate Word Cafeteria. Jay Floyd, Box 3404, Corpus Christi, Texas.

PANAMA CITY, FLA.----June 24/25, Silver Sands Coin Club 3rd Annual Show, Four Winds Resturant, City Marina. John Alderson, Box Q684, Panama City, Florida 32401.

ALBION, NEB.----June 25, Beaver Valley Coin Club Annual Coin-Hobby Show, City Auditorium. Graham Reynolds, 632 S. 3rd St., Albion, Nebraska 68620.

"CURTAIN TIME"

KANSAS CITY, MP.----June 30/July 2, Retail Coin Dealers Assn. (RCDA) Convention, Muehlebach Hotel, Wilson F. Walters, Box 536, Dennison, Texas.

HUNTSVILLE, ALA.----July 13/15, Alabama Numismatic Society 7th Convention, The Mall Shopping Center. Horace Bibb, Box 750, Huntsville, Alabama 35800.

SAINT LOUIS, MO.----August 5/6, Missouri Numismatic Society 8th Annual Festival, Gateway Hotel. D. L. Cooper, 3500 Ridgedale, Saint Louis, Missouri 63121.

MIAMI BEACH, FLA.----August 7/12, American Numismatic Assn 76th Annual Convention, Americana Hotel, Bal Harbour. Sidney W. Smith, 2512 Biscayne Blvd., Miami, Florida 33137.

BUENA PARK, CALIF.----August 12/14, Orange County Professional Numismatists Show, Retail Clerks Auditorium. Bob Thomas, Box 2314, Fullerton, California 92633.

SPARTANBURG, S. C.----August 16/20, Blue Ridge Numismatic Assn. (BRNA) 8th Annual Convention, Memorial Auditorium, J. L. Jones, Box 384, Greer, South Carolina 29651.

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.----August 19/20, Oklahoma Coin Dealers Assn. (OCDA) 4th Annual Fall Show, West Side Lions Club, M. G. Dillon, 815 W. Main, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73106.

CHEYENNE, WYO.----Sept. 22/24, Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Assn. 16th Annual Convention, Holdings Little America. Carol Clark, 1613 Capitol Ave., Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001.

DES MOINES, IOWA----Sept. 23/24, Iowa Numismatic Assn. Convention, Savary Hotel. Des Moines Coin Club, Box 57, Des Moines, Iowa 50301.

PITTSBURGH, PA.----Sept. 29/Oct. 1, Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs Convention, Hotel Webster Hall. Len Carr, Box 152, Bethel Park, Pennsylvania 15102.

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.----Oct. 6/8, Oklahoma-Kansas Numismatic Assn. 20th Annual Convention, Oklahoma Sheraton Hotel. Jake B. Sureck, 323 N. W. 3rd St., Okla. City, Okla. 73102.

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"ON THE SCENE" SAPULPA COIN CLUB HOLDS FIRST COIN SHOW APRIL 8-9, 1967

There were 28 exhibits in seven different categories at the First Coin Show to be sponsored by the Sapulpa, Okla. Coin Club. The show was held at the high school cafeteria and the site selection was an excellent choice. There was plenty of free parking space, food on the premises, plenty wide aisle space, all dealer bourse tables were backed by the four walls and the exhibits were arranged in a large square in the center of the room.

Names of the twenty one trophy winners were not released to the public, due to the many coin collections that have been stolen in the area recently. A. M. McIntosh, exhibit chairman, did a splendid job and the trophies given by the club will long be valued by the winners.

The club has about 40 active members and meets the third Monday of each month.



Graves Deal chats with Josie Adams, Sharon, Okla. while George is away

BLIND COIN DEALER AT THE SAPULPA COIN SHOW

Roy Sherrod, Tulsa, Oklahoma is blind. That alone is not earth shaking, but Roy deals in coins. Most of us have enough problems grading coins when we have good vision. Roy hasn't been able to overcome all of the difficulties, but he has a German Police Dog at his table that helps to balance out the score.

This was the first coin show that Roy has set up a table. He had to depend on friends at nearby tables to help in identifying currency and checks. He can identify just about all of the United States coins by feeling of them, and he is able to tell the grade and date on many of the better ones.

Roy keeps all of his coins in a bank vault and does business by appointments set up for him by well known friends. He likes the coin business and it gives him a chance to earn a little money on his own.

If you are in the Tulsa area, attending a coin show, and you see a blind man with a big dog by his side, stop and visit with him. Just don't touch him or even point a toy gun in his direction, or you may wind up on the floor with a hefty dog on your chest.



C. R. Ross Okmulgee, Okla. Visits with Ray Windle, Ft. Worth, Texas.

FUNNY MONEY NOT FUNNY NOW

Robert Leon Duran, age 22, was sentenced to three five year terms Tuesday, May 9, 1967 in Oklahoma City, after pleading guilty to three counts of passing counterfeit \$20 bills, in Marlow, Duncan and Chickasha, Oklahoma, last November.

Duran, on parole from the federal reformatory at El Reno, was remanded to custody and U. S. District Judge Fred A. Daugherty ruled that the three sentences should run concurrently with the remainder of Duran's present term.

The method of sentencing used will permit Duran to be paroled again in TWENTY MONTHS. FREE TO HANG PAPER ONCE AGAIN.



It must be "Ladies Day" at the Joe Elliot table.

MERCURY DIME SINGLES

DATE	AG	G	FVG	F	VF	XF
1916	15	20	25	40	65	125
1916D	65.00	92.00	119.00	165.00	200.00	265.00
1916S	25	40	65	100	150	250
1917	15	20	25	40	65	125
1917D	40	75	125	200	350	500
1917S	20	35	55	80	125	200
1918	15	20	30	55	125	200
1918D	25	40	75	150	300	500
1918S	25	35	55	110	250	400
1919	15	25	40	65	125	200
1919D	40	75	125	200	350	500
1919S	35	75	125	200	350	500
1920	15	20	30	55	80	125
1920D	20	30	60	120	250	400
1920S	20	30	60	120	250	400
1921	6.00	8.50	19.75	30.00	40.00	85.00
1921D	9.00	13.00	24.00	38.00	65.00	120.00
1923	15	20	25	40	65	125
1923S	25	40	80	200	400	800
1924	15	20	25	40	65	125
1924D	30	40	65	135	350	500
1924S	20	30	65	135	375	500
1925	15	20	25	40	65	125
1925D	65	110	200	475	1500	3100
1925S	25	35	60	125	350	1000
1926	15	20	25	40	65	125
1926D	25	35	60	125	350	500
1926S	25	35	60	125	350	500
1927	15	20	25	40	65	125

DATE	AG	G	FVG	F	VF	XF
1927D	25	40	100	275	1250	2500
1927S	20	30	50	125	400	800
1928	15	20	25	40	65	125
1928D	30	40	75	175	750	2250
1928S	20	25	40	75	225	850
1929	15	20	25	40	65	125
1929D	20	30	45	75	175	275
1929S	20	30	45	75	175	275
1930	15	20	25	40	65	125
1930D	15	20	25	40	65	125
1930S	15	20	25	40	65	125
1931	15	20	25	40	65	125
1931D	275	350	425	550	1100	1750
1931S	185	240	300	350	475	650
1932	15	20	25	40	65	125
1932D	15	20	25	40	65	125
1932S	15	20	25	40	65	125
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1934D	15	20	25	40	65	125
1934S	15	20	25	40	65	125
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1935S	15	20	25	40	65	125
1936	15	20	25	40	65	125
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1936S	15	20	25	40	65	125
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1966	15	20	25	40	65	125
1966D	15	20	25	40	65	125
1966S	15	20	25	40	65	125
1967	15	20	25	40	65	125
1967D	15	20	25	40	65	125
1967S	15	20	25	40	65	125

JEFFERSON NICKELS

DATE	VG	F	VF	XF	DATE	VG	F	VF	XF	DATE	VG	F	VF	XF
1938	10	15	20	35	1943	10	15	25	40	1950	20	25	35	70
1938D	100	110	150	200	1943D	40	45	65	110	1950D	1200	1200	1200	1200
1938S	200	225	275	325	1943S	10	15	25	40	1951	10	15	20	30
1939	10	15	20	30	1943D&P	10	15	20	30	1951D	10	15	20	30
1939D	420	470	550	800	1943S	10	15	20	30	1951S	40	55	75	100
1939S	65	80	150	225	1943P&D	10	15	20	30	1952	10	15	20	30
1940	10	15	20	25	1943PDS	10	15	20	30	1952D	10	15	20	30
1940D	10	15	20	30	1943PD&D	10	15	20	30	1952S	10	15	20	30
1940S	10	15	20	30	1946S	10	15	20	30	1953	10	15	20	30
1941	10	15	20	25	1946PD	10	15	20	30	1953D	10	15	20	30
1941D&S	10	15	20	30	1947S	10	15	20	30	1953PD&D	10	15	20	30
1942 ty1	10	15	20	25	1947S	10	15	20	30	1953S	10	15	20	30
1942D	25	40	65	125	1948	10	15	20	30	1954	50	60	75	125
1942D2	20	25	50	125	1948D	10	15	20	30	1954D	10	15	20	30
1942S	15	25	40	65	1948S	10	15	20	30	1954PD&D	10	15	20	30
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					1949D	10	15	20	30	1955D	10	15	20	30
										1956	10	15	20	30
										1956D	10	15	20	30
										1956PD&D	10	15	20	30

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SIDNEY SMITH TO AUCTION ROBERT ESTIS ESTATE

Sidney W. Smith has announced that he has been instructed to sell the coin stock from the Robert Estis estate. Estis was a well known Miami, Florida Coin Dealer, that did a large volume mail order business in both United States and foreign coins.

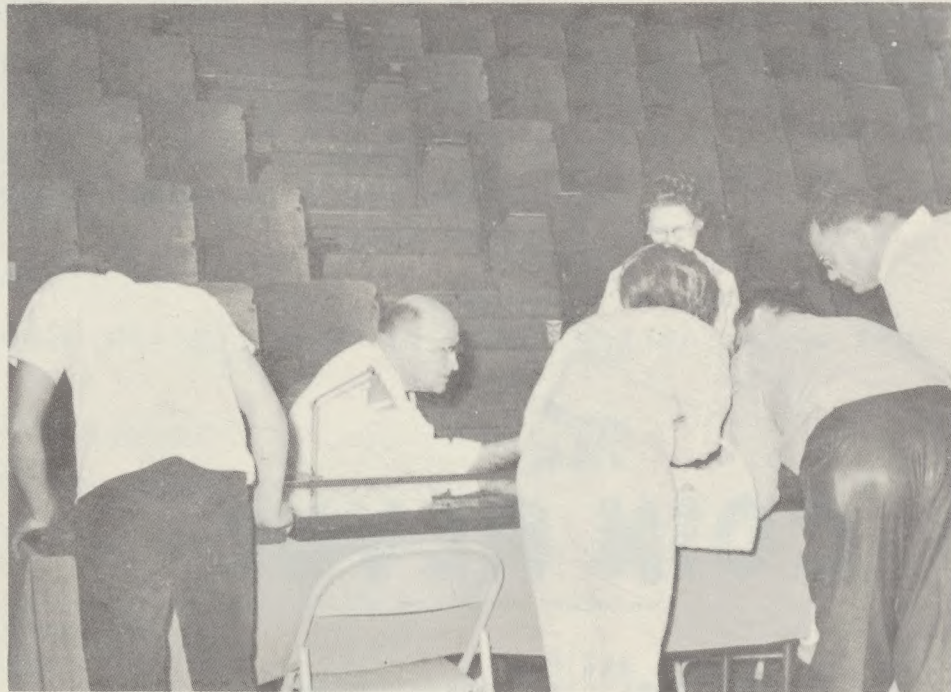
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“ON THE SCENE” AT SHAWNEE, OKLA. APRIL 22-23



Art Clem, Shawnee, Okla. “Wheels” with Okla. City and Tulsa buyers.



W. F. Betz, El Dorado, Kansas, enjoys good day at the table. Mrs Betz took over while Bill bought my lunch.

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